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- 25X1 1. The Communists are operating a tungsten mine in Yunfou (112-04, 22-56), for which preparations were begun in the spring of 1950, when a bureau for tungsten production was established. On 22 August, 15 Soviet technicians, who will direct mining activities, arrived in Canton from Peiping by air and left immediately for Yunfou.
2. Tungsten mines are also being operated at Emping (112-19, 22-12) and Loting (111-28, 22-41); all of the workers are Chinese, and those in charge include some Chinese and some Soviet technical experts. One Communist army is in the area to guard the mines.

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